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Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.56 and 1.97, applicant hereby makes the following documents of record in the above-identified patent application:

U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

Eaton, Jr. et al.	4,918,654	April 17, 1990
Anderson et al.	5,966,047	October 12, 1999
Eker et al.	6,642,781	November 4, 2003
Trimberger	6,653,673	November 25, 2003

Copies of the aforementioned documents, which are listed on the accompanying Form PTO-1449 (submitted in duplicate), are enclosed herewith.

It is respectfully requested that these documents be (1) fully considered by the Patent and Trademark Office during examination of this application; and (2) printed on any patent which may issue on this application. Applicant requests that a copy of Form PTO-1449, as considered and initialed by the Examiner, be returned with the next communication.

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